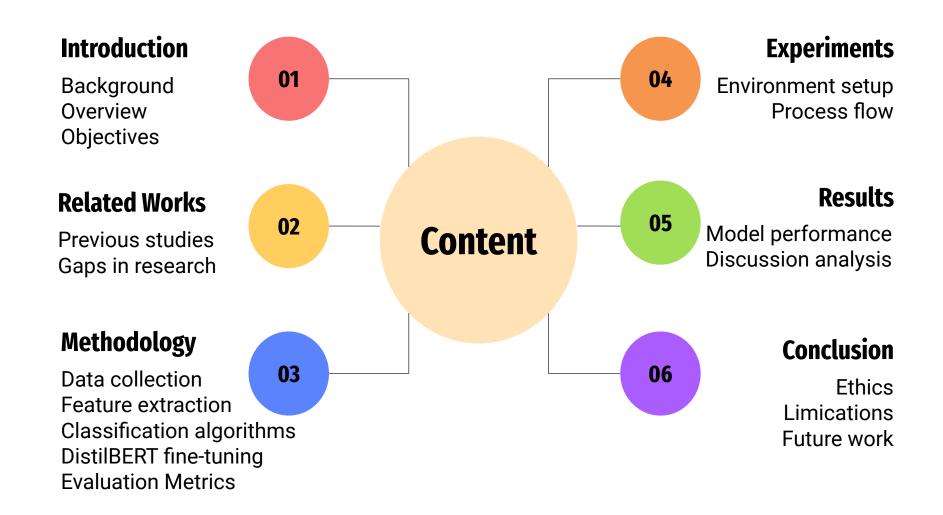
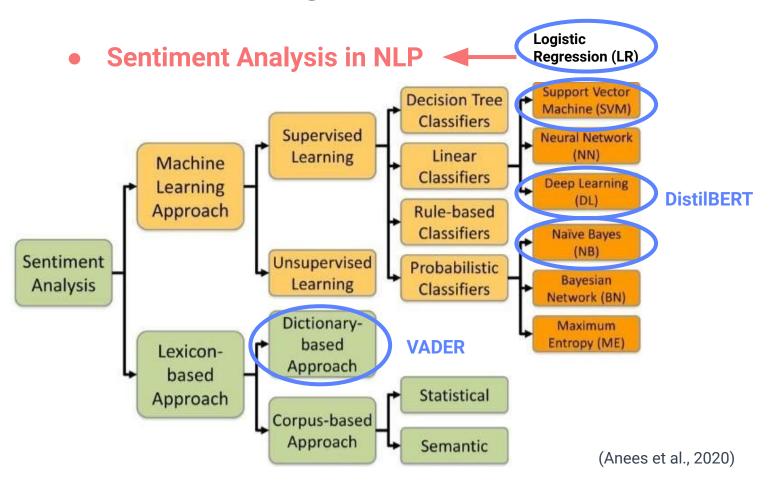


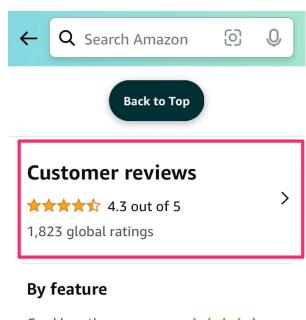
Sentiment AnalysisOn Amazon Food Product Reviews

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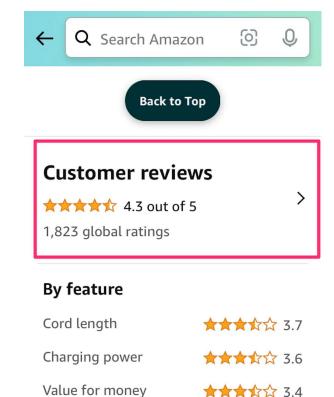
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Reviews with images

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Classification of Amazon food product review

Goya Lady Fingers 7.0 OZ > Customer reviews









Reviewed in the United States on September 21, 2023

Exactly what you want from lady fingers. Crispy, tasty, dry.

Top critical review

Critical reviews >





Reviewed in the United States on January 1, 2022

Way to expensive, walmart has the same package for \$1.24.

I understand it may be the commodity, that you don't have to go to the store and search for them, but at the same time mine arrived all in pieces and the ones from walmart were all good.

For me it was a waste of money, but if you don't have an option I guess is ok to try your luck.

6 people found this helpful

Scope

- Sentiment Analysis of Amazon food product reviews
- English-language review texts
- Excludes non-textual and non-English reviews

Objectives

- Model Evaluation
- Model Innovation
- Comparative Analysis
- Results and Impact
- Future Direction and Applications

Related Works

2011 &2015
 Twitter
 Advanced methods like

2009 & 2012

Movie Reviews

Feature selection methods and ML classifiers like SVM, Naive Bayes, etc. Advanced methods like POS-enhanced and unsupervised model with sentiment lexicons **~ 2019 & 2020**

Evolutions

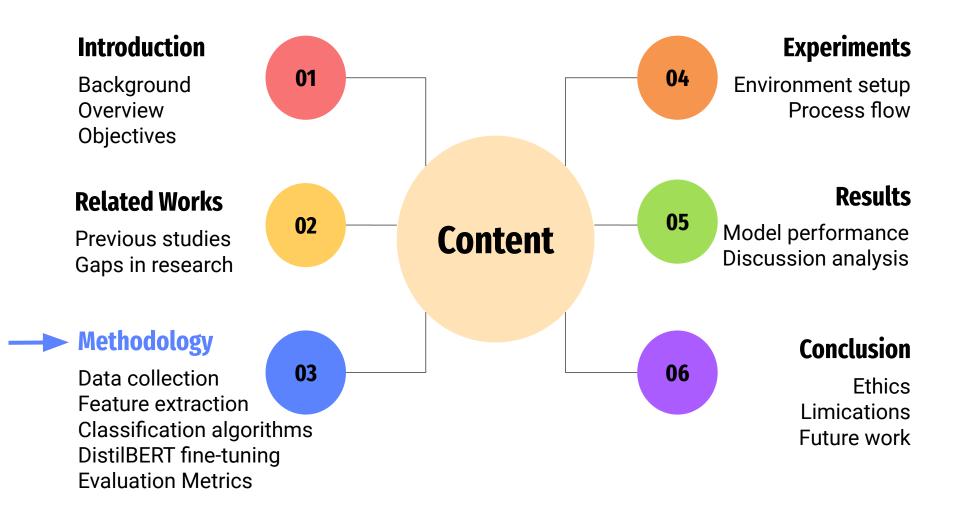
Deep-learning neural networks like RNNs, CNN, and BiGRU

Product reviews

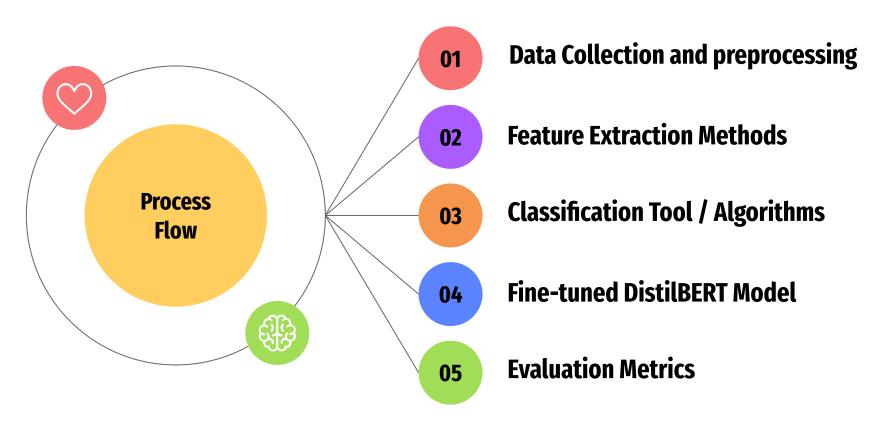
2015 & 2018

Supervised models like perceptron Naives Bayes, SVM, Logistic Regression, Random Forest

Despite advancements, there remains a **research gap** in accurately capturing the nuanced sentiment expressions specific to Amazon product reviews.



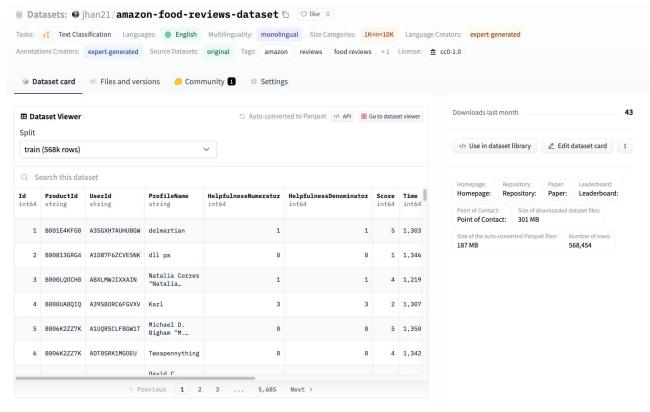
Methodology



Data Collection and Preprocessing

- Data Compilation
- Preprocessing and Cleaning
- Class Transformation for Sentiment Analysis
- Word Cloud Analysis and Sentiment Complexity
- Dataset Partitioning and Resampling Techniques

Dataset



Hugging Face

Dataset Card

https://huggingface.co/datasets/jhan21/amazon-food-reviews-dataset

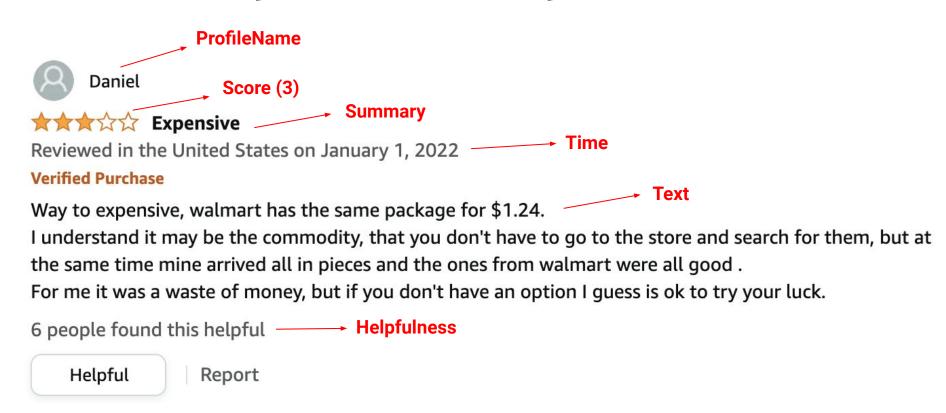
Example of dataset's structure and format

=	Id	ProductId	UserId	ProfileName	${\tt HelpfulnessNumerator}$	HelpfulnessDenominator	Score	Time	Summary	Text
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1	2	B00813GRG4	A1D87F6ZCVE5NK	dll pa	0	0	1	1346976000	Not as Advertised	Product arrived labeled as Jumbo Salted Peanut
2	3	B000LQOCH0	ABXLMWJIXXAIN	Natalia Corres "Natalia Corres"	1	1	4	1219017600	"Delight" says it all	This is a confection that has been around a fe
3	4	B000UA0QIQ	A395BORC6FGVXV	Karl	3	3	2	1307923200	Cough Medicine	If you are looking for the secret ingredient i
4	5	B006K2ZZ7K	A1UQRSCLF8GW1T	Michael D. Bigham "M. Wassir"	0	0	5	1350777600	Great taffy	Great taffy at a great price. There was a wid
568449	568450	B001E07N10	A28KG5XORO54AY	Lettie D. Carter	0	0	5	1299628800	Will not do without	Great for sesame chickenthis is a good if no
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568451	568452	B004l613EE	A121AA1GQV751Z	pksd "pk_007"	2	2	5	1329782400	Perfect for our maltipoo	These stars are small, so you can give 10-15 o
568452	568453	B004l613EE	A3IBEVCTXKNOH	Kathy A. Welch "katwel"	1	1	5	1331596800	Favorite Training and reward treat	These are the BEST treats for training and rew
568453	568454	B001LR2CU2	A3LGQPJCZVL9UC	srfell17	0	0	5	1338422400	Great Honey	I am very satisfied ,product is as advertised,

568454 rows x 10 columns

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Example of an Amazon food product review



Dataset

- Utilized 568,454 Amazon food product reviews from Kaggle.
- Dataset includes 10 fields:

Id, ProductId, UserId, ProfileName,
HelpfulnessNumerator, HelpfulnessDenominator,
Score, Time, Summary, and Text.

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Data Preprocessing and Cleaning

- Removed duplicate reviews
- Focused on key columns:

Score and Text

- Reduced to 393,933 unique data points
- Conducted distribution analysis

Data Preprocessing and Cleaning

Adapted 5-category score system into a 3-class framework:

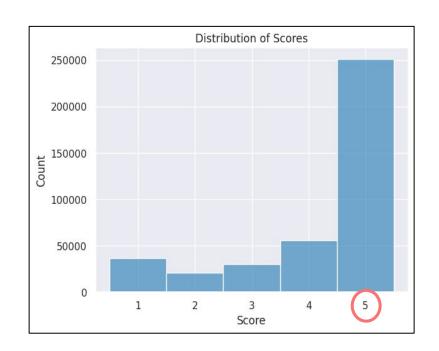
Positive (scores > 3)
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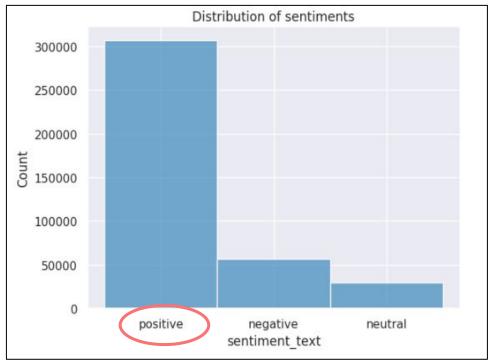
Neutral (scores == 3)
$$\rightarrow$$
 0

Negative (scores
$$< 3) \rightarrow -1$$

Reclassification aimed to address class imbalance.

Dataset's composition





Word Clouds for Each Sentiment Category





Positive



Negative

Neutral

Data Partitioning and Resampling Technique

Dataset partitioning:

The first 80% for training and validation (80/20).

The remaing 20% reserved for model evaluation.

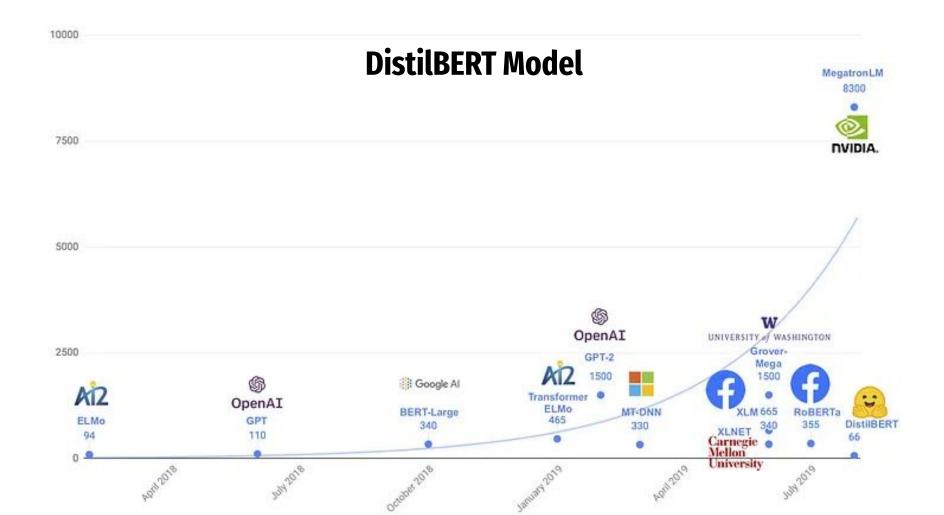
 Employed data undersampling for the majority class to address dataset imbalance

Feature Extraction Methods

- Frequency-Based Techniques:
- Bag of Words (BoW)
- > TF-IDF
- Word Embedding Techniques:
- ➤ GloVe
- ➤ Word2Vec
- > BERT Embeddings

Sentiment Classification Tool / Algorithms

- Sentiment Analysis Tool:
- > VADER (lexicon-based)
 - Machine Learning Classifiers:
- Logistic Regression (LG)
- Naive Bayes (NB)
- Support Vector Machines (SVM)



DistilBERT Model

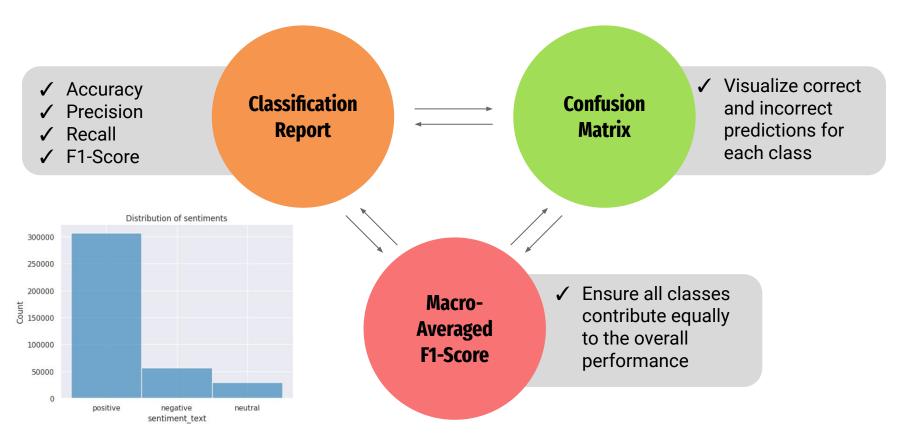
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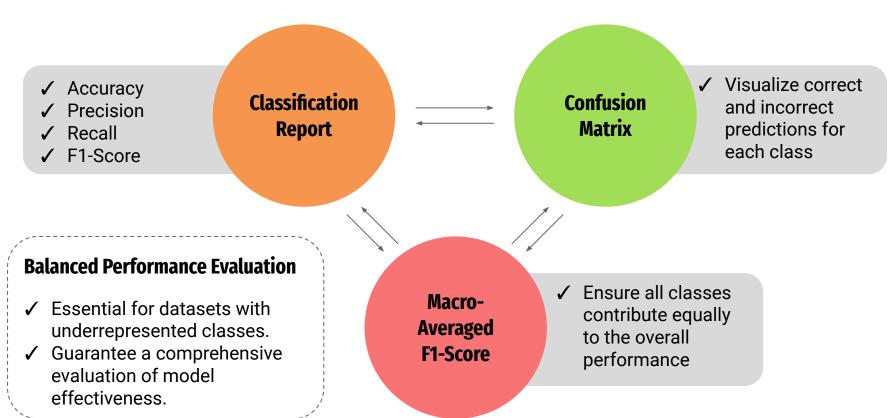
Finetuned DistilBERT Model

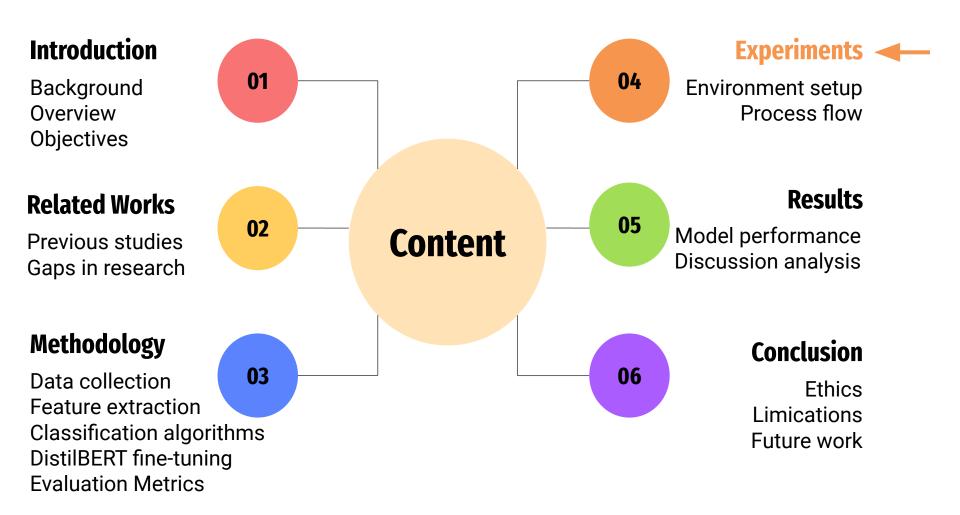
- Hyperparameter Tuning in DistilBERT:
- Manual tuning: learning rate, batch size, and training epochs
- 2 iterations due to computational limits
- Regulation Strategies:
- Weight decay to prevent overfitting
- Early Stopping to optimize training duration

Model Evaluation Metrics

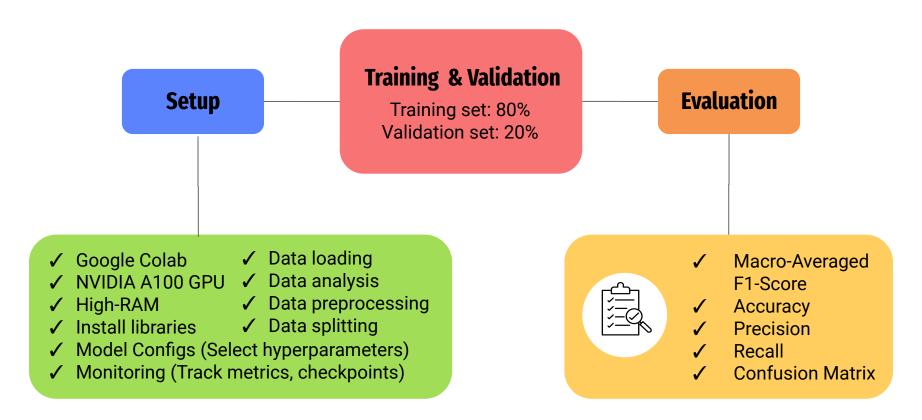


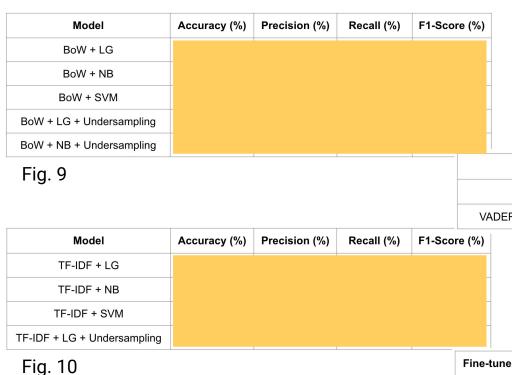
Model Evaluation Metrics





Experiment Workflow





Model Performance

Recall (%)

F1-Score (%)

Fig. 13

Fig. 12

Accuracy (%)

Model

VADER

Fig. 11

VADER + undersampling

Precision (%)

Fine-tuned DistilBERT Model Accuracy (%) Precision (%) Recall (%) F1-Score (%) 1st model 2nd model

Model F1-Score (%) Accuracy (%) Precision (%) Recall (%) GloVE + LG Word2Vec + LG BERT embedding + LG

Model	Accuracy (%)	Precision (%)	Recall (%)	F1-Score (%)
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BoW + NB	0.83	0.62	0.61	0.62
BoW + SVM	0.86	0.70	0.57	0.58
BoW + LG + Undersampling	0.71	0.70	0.71	0.70
BoW + NB + Undersampling	0.70	0.71	0.70	0.70

Model Performance

Fig. 12

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Fig. 13

Fine-tuned DistilBERT Model Accuracy (%) Precision (%) Recall (%) F1-Score (%)

1st model 0.78 0.26 0.33 0.29

Fig. 10

TF-IDF + SVM

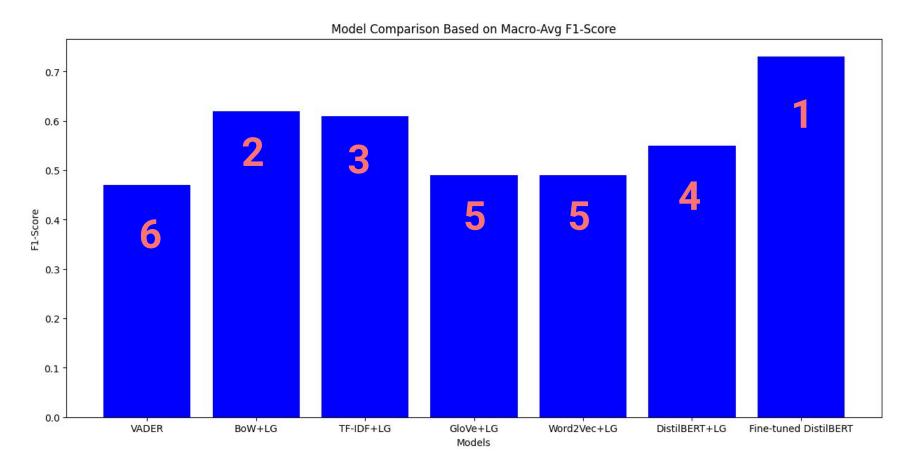
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BoW outperforms TF-IDF 5

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Fig. 10

BoW

- Effective by capturing domain-specific terms
- Effective by focusing on word presence (not context)

TF-IDF

Less effective from contextual weighting due to review lengths and specific terms in food product reviews

BoW outperforms Word Embeddings 😱

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Fig. 11

BoW

- Effective by aligning dataset's straightforward characteristic
- Effective by handling negations as distinct features

Word Embeddings

- Less effective for specific sentiment contexts in food product reviews
- Less effective due to potential classifier confusion

BoW outperforms VADER 😄

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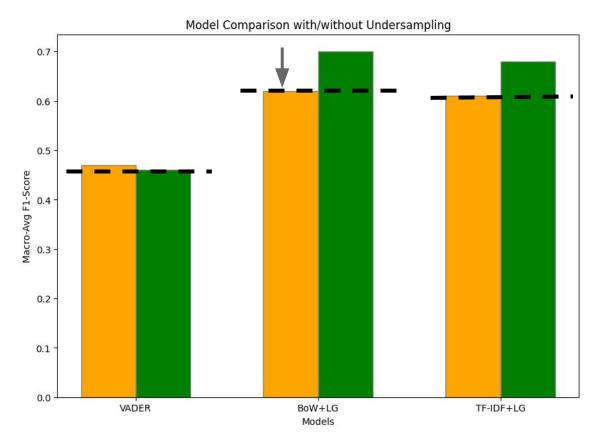
BoW + LG

- Effective after training on the specific dataset
- Effective in understanding unique nuances and vocab

VADER

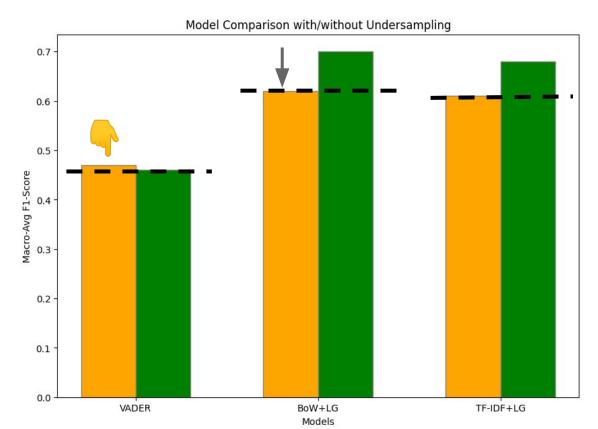
 Less effective due to predefined rules and scores for sentiment intensity

Impact of Undersampling Strategy 👍



- Mitigate Data Imbalance
- Enhance Model Efficacy

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Implication:

Consider the specific operational mechanisms when applying dataset manipulation techniques.

Model Performance

Model Comparison Based on Macro-Avg F1-Score



Parameters	1st training	2nd training	
Learning rate	2e-4	5e-5	
Batch size	8	8	
Number of epochs	4	5	
Weight decay	0.01	0.01	
Seed	0	0	
Optimizer	AdamW	AdamW	

Lower learning rate

More precise weight adjustments

More training epochs

Deeper learning from the data patterns

1st iteration

trainer.train()

		[7500/23480	1:52:36 < 3:59:	:59, 1.11 it/s	, Epoch 1/4]
Step	Training Loss	Validation Loss	Accuracy	Precision	Recall	F1
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1000	1.010300	0.772518	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
1500	1.014700	0.789708	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
2000	1.013800	0.797439	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
2500	1.011200	0.750883	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
3000	1.020800	0.780068	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
3500	1.019000	0.776988	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
4000	1.017200	0.789884	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
4500	1.005400	0.743515	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
5000	1.012300	0.733742	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
5500	1.006400	0.808375	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
6000	1.005700	0.746866	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
6500	1.010000	0.785966	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
7000	1.015400	0.761455	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056
7500	1.013800	0.764767	0.784388	0.261463	0.333333	0.293056

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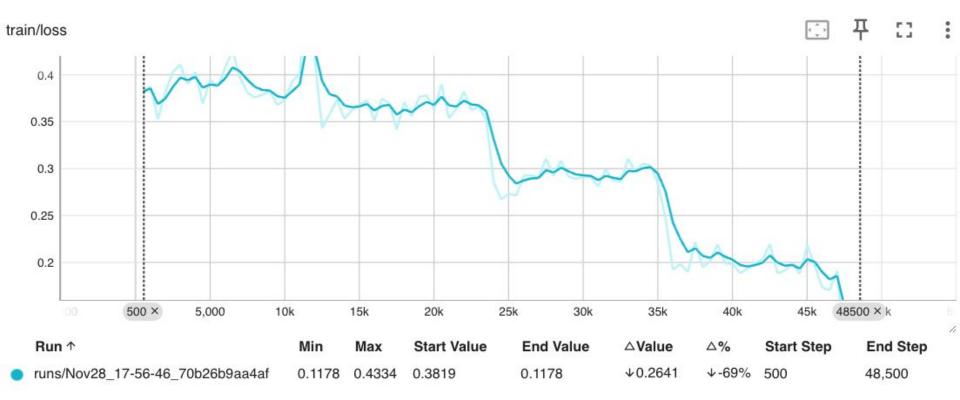
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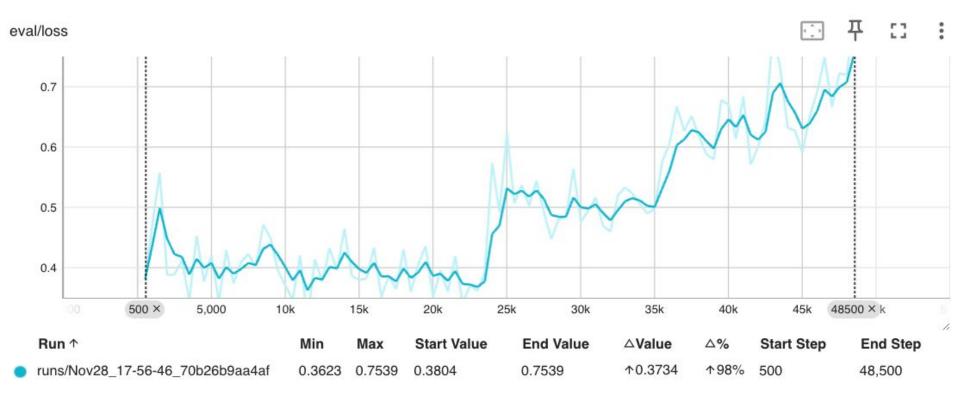
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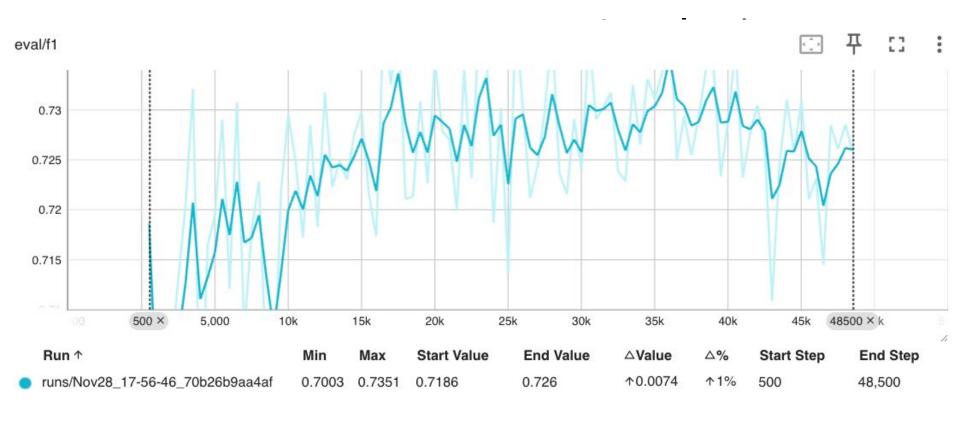
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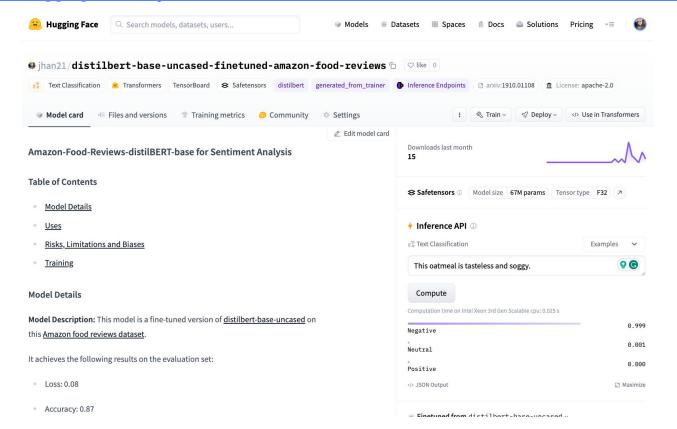
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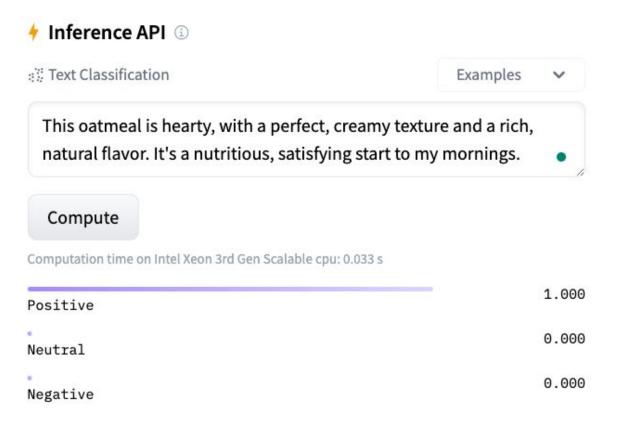


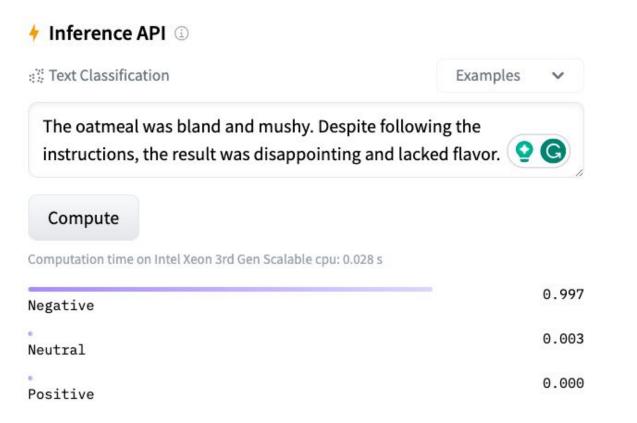
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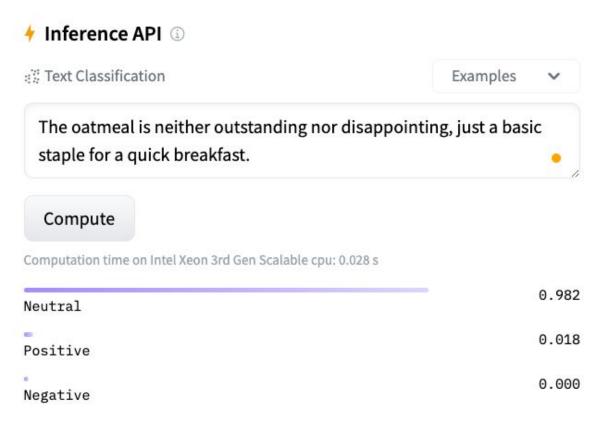


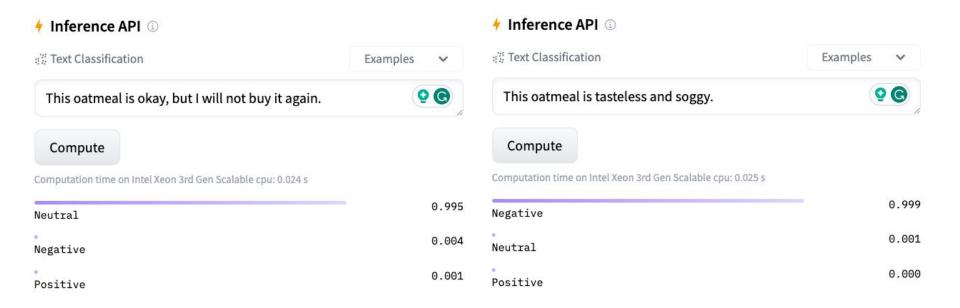
Fine-tuned DistilBERT Model Card











Conclusion

- Problem Addressed
- Simplicity Over Complexity
- Importance of Hyperparameter Optimization
- Strategic Insights and practical implications

Ethics

- Data Privacy Compliance
- Transparency and Reproducibility
- Social Impact and Ethical Use
- Future Ethical Considerations

Limitations & Future Work

- Computational Constraints
- Dataset Specificity Limitations
- Scope of Methodologies
- Data Manipulation and Hyperparameter
- Future work to improve model performance: cross-validation, regulation, random search/grid search

Fine-tuning a pre-trained Model is like "voodoo". — Dr. Church

- Lack of predictability
- Intuition and experience
- Sensitivity to small changes
- Trials and error process



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